

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

**SMALL JUSTICE LLC, ET AL**

V.

**CIVIL ACTION NO. 13-11701-DJC**

**XCENTRIC VENTURES LLC**

**Scheduling Order**

Casper, J.

This Scheduling Order is intended primarily to provide a reasonable timetable for discovery and motion practice and to ensure the fair and just resolution of this matter, either by settlement or trial, without undue delay or expense.

Having conducted a Scheduling Conference between the parties pursuant to Local Rule 16.1(a), it is hereby ORDERED pursuant to Rule 16(b) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and Local Rule 16.1(f) that:

**1. Initial Disclosures.** Initial disclosures required by Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(1) must be completed by **May 23, 2014**.

**2. Amendments to Pleadings.** Except for good cause shown, no motions seeking leave to add new parties or to amend the pleadings to assert new claims or defenses may be filed after **September 30, 2014**.

**3. Fact Discovery.**

a. **Final Deadline.** All discovery, other than expert discovery, must be completed by **February 13, 2015**.

**4. Expert Discovery.**

- a. Plaintiff(s)' trial experts must be designated and the information required by Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2) must be disclosed by **March 13, 2015** .
- b. Defendant(s)' trial experts must be designated and the information required by Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2) must be disclosed by **April 13, 2015** .
- c. All trial experts must be deposed by **May 13, 2015** .

**5. Summary Judgment Motions.**

- a. Motions for summary judgment must be filed by **June 12, 2015** .
- b. Opposition to summary judgment motions must be filed within 21 days after service of the motion pursuant to Local Rule 7.1.
- c. All summary judgment filings shall conform to the requirements of Local Rule 56.1.

Date: **April 29, 2014**

/s/ Denise J. Casper  
U. S. District Judge